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D. Wayne Hedberg
State of Utah - Natural Resources
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
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Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203

Dear Mr. Hedberg:

We have examined the reclamation conducted by Energy Fuels Nuclear, Inc. on their Sahara Mine in Emery County, Utah and we are satisfied with the work, which includes closure of the portal, removal of buildings and foundations, and recontouring of the ponds, mine site and access roads. However, we recommend that Energy Fuels Nuclear, Inc. not be completely released from their obligation to complete reclamation until the vegetation density of the reclaimed areas attains a 75 percent or greater vegetal density of the surrounding area.

Sincerely yours,

Blair A. Miller

 **Acting**

Area Manager

cc: Roger Smith, Energy Fuels Nuclear, Inc.

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